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Classified By: Classified by A/DCM Dundas McCullough for reason 1.4 (B)

(C) Charge d'Affaires, a.i. delivered demarche (reftel) on Thursday, February 23, 2006, to the Minister of Foreign Affairs, Morshed Khan, and to the Prime Minister's Principal Secretary Kamaluddin Siddiqui. Dr. Siddiqui emphatically

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assured CDA that "we would not receive any delegation from  $\operatorname{\textsc{Hamas}}$  ."  $\operatorname{\textsc{CHAMMAS}}$